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Bob Maxwell, public relations manager for Granite City Steel, is the chairman of the 1995 Tri-Cities Area United Way campaign.

## United Way drive to kick off Goal is \$1.05 million

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

Bob Maxwell, director of public relations for Granite City Steel, is the chairman of the 1995 Tri-Cities Area United Way campaign. The campaign will kick off Thursday morning with a breakfast meeting. The goal of the campaign is \$1,050,000. Last year, \$1,116,000 was collected.

In 1995, more than 30 different agencies providing more than 60 programs assisting children, the elderly, disabled, families in crisis and unemployed individuals received funds from the local United Way. The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, Catholic Charities, Protestant Welfare, Children's Home and Aid Society, Coordinated Youth and Human Services, the Red Cross, Phoenix Crisis Center, Madison County Urban League, Joe W. Roberts Youth Athletic Club, the

Visiting Nurse Association, Big Brothers-Big Sisters, the YMCA, Christmas in April and Tri-Cities Association for the Handicapped are among those programs that benefited from the United Way in the past year.

While the campaign does not officially get into full swing until later this week, a "Business Blitz," where 100 local business owners in the Tri-Cities area were contacted for pledges, was conducted Aug. 9. The "blitz" netted \$6,835 in pledges from 70 local businesses.

Bob Glik, vice president of Glik Stores, was chairman of the "Business Blitz." Serving as team leaders for this year's campaign are Dan Brown, director of economic development for Granite City; Barbara DuVal, operations officer at Central Bank; and Harold Johnson, provost of the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College.

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## GCHS renovation gets a slow start Project still may be on schedule

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

Although it has taken longer than expected to get the ball rolling, school officials still expect to complete a \$12-million renovation of Granite City High School within the project's planned two-year time frame.

"While the construction phase of the project has taken longer to implement than expected, we feel that by eliminating possible budget concerns prior to starting construction we will ultimately save time and will not end up trying to cut costs as the project advances," said Brad Evenson, school district director of building services.

Progress has been slow because Korte Construction — the construction manager on the project — and Huff Architectural Group — the project's architect — have

disagreed about the cost of the project as designed by Huff, board members said.

School district residents overwhelmingly passed a bond issue authorizing \$12 million for the project in November of last year. Korte was of the opinion that the preliminary drawings represented a project beyond the scope of the school district's budget.

"It is really kind of a natural disagreement process," School Superintendent Steve Balen said. He said the disagreement centered around matters such as what type of floor coverings and ceiling tiles to use or how many extra lockers should be installed.

Balen said that project cost is the school board's top concern. "The school board is adamant that the project will come in at or below budget and that the students of this district will

have a building that will enhance their learning environment," Balen said. A floor plan was approved in early April after department heads at the high school expressed their particular needs and how they would like to see them addressed.

Actual demolition began in June with the removal of a smoke stack near the boiler room at the rear of the building. That work was completed by July 1 and installation of air conditioning equipment in the cafeteria, abatement of asbestos and removal of boilers should be completed by the end of September.

Final, revised drawings of the plan should be completed next week. If the board approves the drawings, bids on the major construction aspects will be

(See GCHS, Page 7A)

## Motorcyclist dies in accident

Illinois State Police accident reconstruction experts are investigating a crash that killed a

South Roxana motorcyclist. Carl Hetsley, 56, of the 900 block of Missouri Avenue, was pronounced dead at 12:58 a.m. Wednesday at a St. Louis hospital after the crash, which happened about 9:15 p.m. Tuesday on Chain of Rocks Road.

Hetsley collided head-on with a vehicle driven by Eugene Helms, 33, of rural Edwardsville. Helms was charged with driving under the influence, improper lane use and illegal transportation of alcohol, State Police reported.

Hetsley was flown by helicopter from the accident scene to St. Louis University Medical Center, where he died, State Police said.

Madison County State's Attorney William Haine said he would review results of the state police investigation and consider additional charges. "Results of the state police investigation will be turned over to my office for consideration of other possible charges, such as reckless homicide," Haine said. "We'll make a decision when we see the results, but considering the other charges that have been filed, it's a possibility."

(See ACCIDENT, Page 7A)

## Officials return from plant tour

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

Pictures from a fact-finding trip by four Madison aldermen who visited power plants in Michigan are on display at city hall, and plans are being made to show videos from the trip.

A report of the four aldermen was one of several matters related to a proposed \$75 million power plant at Tuesday's council meeting.

The plant would burn a combination of waste coal and wood fuel. The public comment period for a siting hearing held in late July ended Monday, and hearing officer Charles King, and Edwardsville attorney, has 15 days from the end of the com-

ment period to prepare a report for the city council.

City Attorney Casper Nghossian said King would be spending a great deal of time at the city hall in the next week going over transcripts and other written material.

After the report is delivered, the council has 15 days to accept or reject the report.

If the siting is approved, the permit application process would begin and in about 10-12 months another set of hearings would commence.

After those hearings, it would take about two years to construct and license the plant.

At Tuesday's meeting aldermen John Hamm and Alexis

(See TOUR, Page 7A)

### Sports spotlight

## Soccer weekends 200 teams competing here in Elks Classic Tournament

By Rob Raphael  
Staff writer

It doesn't get any bigger than this — at least in this part of the country.

The two-weekend Elks Classic Soccer Tournament is in full swing. The girls tournament was last weekend, and the boys tournament wraps up today.

More than 200 teams from across the Midwest are in town to compete at the Elks Fields behind the campus of Belleville Area College in Granite City.

That means that over 200 coaches are calling Jim McKechnan and Randy Witter, two members of the Elks organization that are trying to help run the huge tournament.

"They have a tournament in Dallas that's bigger than this one," McKechnan said.

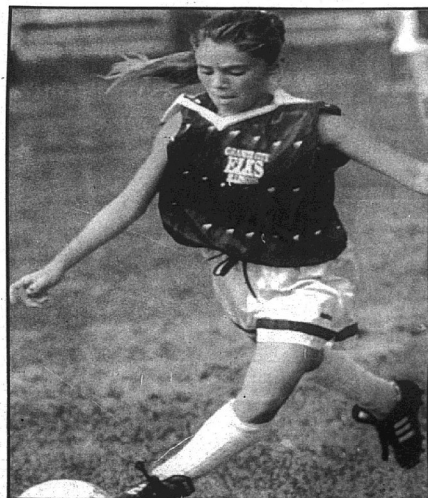
"But as far as in the Midwest, this is the biggest. We'll have teams from Kentucky, Minnesota, Oklahoma — you name it."

The job of running such a venture is huge. "There's a lot of things we have to do," said McKechnan. "We have to perform our own maintenance on the field, coordinate and schedule the teams, and run the concession stands."

"Last week we sold over 2,400 snow cones, if that gives you an idea; and over \$600 worth of ice. That's a lot of ice."

The tournament last week was for girls from the age of 8 to 18. The boys' tournament, because the high school soccer season is in progress, is for boys from 8-and-under to 14-and-under.

Several St. Louis area teams have and will be on hand, and the Granite City Elks have teams in nearly every age bracket. For more about the tournament and how the Granite City teams have fared, see Sports on Page 1B.



Rachel Means of the Granite City Elks girls under 14 soccer team clears the ball upfield in a game against the Collinsville Lady Sockers last Saturday.

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John Fuller, Chief Meteorologist, KSDQ-TV Channel 5

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89 73	91 75	94 75	95 76

## Parade set for Monday

The 15th annual Tri-Cities Labor Day Parade will step off from the intersection of Niedringhaus and Edison avenues in Granite City at 10 a.m. Monday. The parade will be led down Madison Avenue by Marshal Matt Melucci, Madison County clerk.

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What is your favorite food?

By SHIRLEY VALENCIA

Rhoda Peck Granite City  
"My favorite food is anything  
someone else cooks."Marilyn Dresch Granite City  
"Spaghetti. My mom made  
the best spaghetti, and I've  
always loved spaghetti since I  
was a little girl."James Kudelka Granite City  
"Pizza is my favorite. I don't  
know why, I just love it."Ashley Spohr Granite City  
"I love candy. It makes me  
happy, my mom says. I know  
it's not real good for you, but  
still candy is my favorite  
food."Audrey Walters-Branham  
Granite City  
"Salad. I love all the trimmings — sunflower seeds, cheese, bean sprouts and just about everything else you can throw on top of a salad. I put all this over two little pieces of lettuce."

## Real estate transactions

The following real estate transactions were recorded at the Madison County Courthouse between Aug. 14 and Aug. 18:

2901 Fernwood.....	\$32,000
3601 Gary.....	\$77,500
2408 La Salle.....	\$49,900
3913 Middlebrook.....	\$63,000
3223 Hawthorne.....	\$35,174
1826 Main.....	\$24,000
LT 4A N Port Industra.....	\$12,105
2317 Sanford.....	\$39,900
6500 Wenzel.....	\$500
2401 Willow.....	\$58,000
77 Pigott.....	\$20,000
4809 Sandy Ct.....	\$92,000
702 Washington.....	\$39,900
+ 1118 Garden.....	\$25,250
LT 58 Marc.....	\$30,000
340 Mc Ginnis.....	\$16,000
Bethalto	
5030 Rt 140.....	\$44,900
104 Armstead Ct.....	\$43,000
217 James.....	\$9,500
77 Kansas.....	\$25,000
20 S Lincoln.....	\$50,183
700 Texas.....	\$50,000
Collinsville	
201 Teckla.....	\$98,000
16 White Lily.....	\$33,000
304 Autumn Ridge.....	\$135,000
12 Cherry Hills.....	\$155,000
1 Scotch Pine.....	\$87,000
853 St Louis.....	\$68,000
661 Burroughs.....	\$28,000
1312 Leland.....	\$35,000
307 Collinsville.....	\$68,000
307 Collinsville.....	\$69,900
10 Ramsgate.....	\$28,000
10 Ramsgate.....	\$138,000
East Alton	
293 Oakley.....	\$195,050
20 Tall Oak.....	\$151,000
524 Crestview.....	\$50,000
628 Washington.....	\$42,600
Edwardsville	
419 Alderwood.....	\$154,000
491 Chancellor.....	\$165,082
30 Countryside.....	\$19,000
820 Franklin.....	\$71,500
LT 115 Lindenwood.....	\$1,000
425 Sunset.....	\$88,750
LT 48 Cypress Ct.....	\$25,000
611 Franklin.....	\$225,000
503 Montclair.....	\$66,500
5405 N Rt 159.....	\$57,000
112 Prairie Manor.....	\$24,000
848 Troy.....	\$81,000
2606 Hunters Ridge.....	\$149,900
49 Birdie Ct.....	\$281,000
6505 Quercus Grove.....	\$225,000
1518 Gerber.....	\$14,000
803 N 2nd.....	\$17,000
77 Old Poag.....	\$14,640
918 Timberlake.....	\$287,500
Glen Carbon	
109 Appletree.....	\$71,000
4 Singletree.....	\$47,000
2959 Old Troy.....	\$15,000
Godfrey	
17 Carrollwood.....	\$34,900
4912 Pierce.....	\$88,900
1804 Seminole.....	\$110,000
1216 Camelot.....	\$45,000
1216 Camelot.....	\$25,000
7900 Diamond Springs.....	\$181,753
420 Pearl.....	\$97,500
3706 W Delmar.....	\$97,500
5304 Cottonwood.....	\$37,837
+ 818 Creekwood.....	\$44,250
Granite City	
77 Colonial.....	\$54,000
2817 Roosevelt.....	\$1,000
4921 Sequoia.....	\$89,500

2668 Washington.....	\$41,250
2160 Bern.....	\$22,000
2160 Bern.....	\$33,000
2814 Buxton.....	\$29,000
3126 Myrtle.....	\$50,000
2501 E 27th.....	\$35,000
2501 E 27th.....	\$50,000
2540 Edwards.....	\$25,000
2031 Illinois.....	\$15,000
508 Margaret.....	\$33,500
2253 Monroe.....	\$2,000
2235 14th.....	\$2,000
3608 Carlson.....	\$58,000
7 Tulp.....	\$46,500
Hamel	
211 Miller.....	\$80,000
Hartford	
107 E Birch.....	\$12,000
Highland	
1216 Lynn.....	\$70,000
35 Meadowlark.....	\$19,000
1410 Oak.....	\$62,000
5 Stone Ct.....	\$117,500
50 Sunray.....	\$113,500
1108 12th.....	\$9,600
1108 12th.....	\$9,600
1108 12th.....	\$9,600
1108 12th.....	\$9,600
Livingston	
179 Livingston.....	\$39,000
Madison	
1650 2nd.....	\$25,000
1712 Kennedy.....	\$47,000
1605 Kennedy.....	\$45,000
1828 7th.....	\$30,000
1511 5th.....	\$31,000
1511 5th.....	\$37,900
Maryville	
324 N Duncan.....	\$50,000
1016 Meadow Lake.....	\$128,900
1208 Jacquelyn.....	\$69,000
Pontoon Beach	
69 Mimosa.....	\$18,500
4137 North.....	\$27,500
Roxana	
209 Michig.....	\$22,900
113 Prairie.....	\$25,000
St Jacob	
9976 Ellis.....	\$248,000
4 Doug.....	\$19,800
Troy	
15 Melody.....	\$108,000
4 Pebblebrook.....	\$100,500
100 Sugar Mill.....	\$114,500
77 Camelwood.....	\$74,120
308 Cobblestone.....	\$86,000
706 Sherburne.....	\$60,000
1 Timber Ridge.....	\$34,000
535 Monroeville.....	\$40,110,000
321 Cobblestone.....	\$120,500
525 Nottingham.....	\$97,750
LT 4 Troy.....	\$60,000
77 Anth.....	\$24,000
313 Avalon.....	\$17,000
500 Nottingham.....	\$100,000
Venice	
511 Washington.....	\$29,900
+ 1042 Logan.....	\$2,100

Question marks indicate that the street number is unavailable, and such parcels often involve vacant land.

— Lampitt Appraisals  
451-7172

Thanks, but no thanks  
IRS refuses Pontoon Beach tax paymentBy Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

At an emergency board meeting Wednesday evening, the Pontoon Beach Village Board approved paying the Internal Revenue Service up to \$21,379.89 — but after a meeting between the village and IRS officials Thursday, the agency declined to take a check for the money.

According to several village officials, there is some kind of a discrepancy between Pontoon Beach and IRS figures in the amount of federal withholding taxes paid for workers. However, it is not clear exactly what kind of a mistake was

made or who made it. Trustee Gus Falter, chairman of the village's Finance Committee, said the discrepancy turned up in the annual audit and was part of the discussion during an emergency meeting last week.

Most of that meeting was a personnel discussion held in executive session. Mayor Glen Wilson said IRS officials called Wednesday and told the village it was behind in withholding payments. Wilson called the meeting for that night, and the check was approved.

On Thursday, Trustee Mike Macock, Village Attorney Keith Jensen and Treasurer Judith

Donaldson met with IRS officials in East St. Louis. Later that day, the IRS notified the village they were not going to pick up the check, said Village Clerk Mary Rowden.

Village officials said the entire matter may take several weeks to figure out. "I don't know where the mistake was made, but we're looking into it," Wilson said.

Macock agreed. "We're trying to get everything worked out," he said. "There was probably some kind of book-keeping error."

IRS officials in Springfield said they could not comment on the matter.

## Gang members upset with patrols

ALTON — Self-proclaimed gang members who attended Wednesday's funeral of murdered friend Anthony J. "Chad" Knight said they are upset over increased police patrols.

Police were visible during the funeral and burial Wednesday. Knight, described as a Gangsta Disciple, was gunned down in the first block of Sullivan Drive early Sunday after quarreling with a mutual girlfriend of a rival gang member.

Robert Steele, 19, who police have said is a member of the Crips, is charged with first-degree murder but remained at large late Wednesday. His bond was set at \$50 million.

Uniformed and undercover police monitored the funeral

service at Morning Star Baptist Church, and patrolled near Upper Alton Cemetery, where Knight was buried.

We don't mind the police at the funeral, but it is necessary for the Alton police, the U.S. marshals and a bunch of undercover cops to be here and at our homes," said one youth, who declined to give his name.

At the funeral, more than 50 family members and others claiming to be Gangsta Disciples wore white T-shirts bearing a picture of Knight.

Some youths said Wednesday that they are being treated like "suspects in a crime" by police who have set up nightly check points to keep trespassers out of the Sullivan and Dooley public

housing complexes.

"Every day it's the same stupid questions. Do you live here? Are you on someone's lease?" Alan Spiller said. "Hell, those fools see us all the time around here. We can't even sit out on our own front porch and reminisce about our home without them telling us to go inside."

Another self-described gang member who requested anonymity said, "This constant way of treating us like criminals is going to be a problem itself. They are going to harass the wrong dude."

— From the Alton Telegraph

## Police log

The following are among incidents reported recently at area police departments.

## Prostitution

• Andrea Masham Tabb, 27, of Alton, was arrested at 18th Street and Grand Avenue at 8:34 p.m. Aug. 27 and charged with prostitution.

An officer reported seeing Tabb walking back and forth on State Street between 18th and 19th streets, flagging down passing cars. Tabb allegedly offered to perform oral sex for an undercover officer for \$25.

## Aggravated battery

• Brian L. Sherry, 22, of the 700 block of 27th Place, was arrested at 5:45 a.m. Aug. 28 on a felony warrant charging him with aggravated battery.

Sherry is alleged to have cut a 39-year-old Granite City man four times with a knife in the 1900 block of Benton Street.

## Sexual assault

• Frank C. Daubach, 61, formerly of the 2200 block of Kirkpatrick Homes, was arrested at 9:57 a.m. Aug. 29 on a felony warrant charging him with aggravated criminal sexual assault.

Sent on the warrant is \$150,000.

Daubach is alleged to have forced a girl under the age of 13 years to perform oral sex in December 1994.

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Granite City Street Department workers set a form as they prepare to pour a concrete curb. The temperature reached 94 degrees on this particular day.

## Street workers labor in heat, cold Not a glamorous job

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

When it's hot, they work. When it's cold, they work. They receive little attention or publicity. Yet without their labors our streets would be filled with potholes or covered with snow; our sewage would back up into our homes; and our sidewalks would be filled with cracks.

They are street department workers — city employees with the responsibility to ensure streets and sidewalks are smooth and sewage is constantly flowing.

"I worked at the job for 23 years. I know it's rough," said Granite City Street Superintendent Jerry Lakin. "It gets hot in the summer and cold in the winter. This year we've started giving them Gatorade to try to replenish their body fluids and keep them from getting overheated."

On a recent day when the temperature reached triple digits, street workers in Granite City were preparing to pour a

"It gets hot in the summer and cold in the winter. This year we've started giving them Gatorade to try to replenish their body fluids and keep them from getting overheated."

Jerry Lakin  
Street superintendent

concrete curb on St. Clair Avenue. The workers took frequent breaks to cool off.

"I'd rather they sit under a shade tree for 10 to 15 minutes and go back to work than get heat stroke," Lakin said.

Workers bear the other extreme in winter, when they are charged with removing snow from streets.

When the snow falls, workers are called in — often in the middle of the night — to remove snow from streets so that traffic can move in the morning.

"At least the trucks are heated," said worker Al Mitchell.

But the weather isn't the only opponent street workers face. Rufus Valencia nearly lost his life a couple of years ago when he was overcome by carbon monoxide while working on an underground sewer lift station. Valencia spent the next couple of days recovering in a hospital bed.

The close call prompted Granite City to implement a confined spaces safety program designed to prevent similar incidents in the future.

"These guys work hard and don't get a lot of recognition," Lakin said.

## Compassionate Friends plan meeting

The Greater Madison County Chapter of the Compassionate Friends will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, at the Wood River Township Meeting Hall, 35 S. Ninth St., Rosewood Heights. The topic will be "The Physiology of Grief."

The Compassionate Friends is an international self-help organization offering understanding, support and education regarding grief and hope to bereaved parents and their families. The chapter meets monthly.

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# LOCAL NEWS

## School menus

**Granite City Public Schools**

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**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Breakfast burrito, fruit cup; lunch: Cheeseburger, oven fries, cole slaw, cherry cup.

**Thursday** — Breakfast: Cinnamon toast, fresh fruit; lunch: Chicken nuggets, vegetables, fresh apple wedges, bread.

**Friday** — Breakfast: French

toast sticks, sliced peaches; lunch: Tuna salad on toast with lettuce and tomatoes, cheese chunks, chilled apple sauce, peanut butter cookie.

**Madison Public Schools**

**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Pizza, tossed salad, apricots.

**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Sausage, pancake, fruit gelatin, bread.

**Thursday** — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Crispiitos, cheese, lettuce, tomato, corn, pears.

**Friday** — Breakfast: Pop Tarts,

juice; lunch: Nachos with cheese, peanut butter sandwich, carrot and celery sticks, pineapple, frozen fruit juice.

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**Wednesday** — Chili or chili mac, peanut butter cup, carrot and celery sticks, crackers, Jell-O with fruit.

**Thursday** — Meat and gravy

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**Friday** — Toasted cheese sandwich, pickles, potato rounds, celery and carrot sticks, plums.

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## Obituaries



**Alma D. (Sheno) Fisher**  
88, of Granite City, Ill., died Tuesday, Aug. 28, 1995, at St. Elizabeth's Medical Center after being ill 10 months. She was born in Murphysboro, Mo., a homemaker, member of the St. Fourquare Church. Survivors include Charles Hazelwood G. Fisher Jr., both City; two daughters, times of Granite City; Byrd of Flat River; brothers, Roy and monie, both of Granite City; three grandchildren. She was preceded by her husband, Robert Sr., who died Sept. 1984, and her parents, M. and Bessie (Summers) Fisher.



**Jimmie Jordan**  
Jimmie Dewayne Jordan of Quin, Mo., was dead at 8:10 p.m. 28, 1995, following an accident on Highway 100 miles south of Quin. Born Sept. 17, 1919, in Lakota, Ill., and had been a resident of Quin since Jimmie was employed at J Concrete in Quin.

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## Obituaries



### Alma Fisher

Alma D. (Shemonia) Fisher, 68, of Granite City died at 10:29 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 29, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center after being ill for several months. She was born Oct. 8, 1926, in Murphysboro.

A homemaker, she was a member of the Granite City Fourquare Church. Survivors include two sons, Charles Hazelwood and Robert G. Fisher Jr., both of Granite City; two daughters, Joyce Martinez of Granite City and Karen Byrd of Flat River, Mo.; two brothers, Roy and Cecil Shemonia, both of Granite City; and three grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert G. Fisher Sr., who died Sept. 26, 1986; and her parents, Mr. Shemonia and Bessie (Summers) Shemonia.

Services were Friday at Irwin Chapel in Granite City with the Rev. Ed Linhart officiating. Burial was in Lake View Memorial Gardens in Fairview Heights. Memorials are requested for the American Diabetes Association.

Survivors include his father, Jim Jordan Sr. of Quin; his mother, Cindy Griffith of Granite City; two brothers, Aaron Jordan and Matthew Griffith, both of Granite City; his grandparents, Arthur and Lorine Jordan of Quin; and his great-grandmother, Anna Mae Cole of Hawk Point, Mo.

Private family services were held.

### Peter Smith

Peter J. Smith, 50, of Glen Carbon died at 11:01 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 31, 1995, at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. He was born April 9, 1945, in London, England.

A quality assurance specialist with ATCOM in St. Louis for 10 years, he was a member of the Shriners and Masonic Temple in Corpus Christi, Texas. He was a sergeant first class in the Army for 21 years prior to his retirement, serving in the Korean and Vietnam wars.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley (Clements) Smith; two daughters, Sandy Hood of Troy and Laura Stumper of Carleville, Tenn.; his parents, A. and Ellen (Bangs) Smith of Columbus, Ga.; three brothers, Larry Smith of Albuquerque, N.M., and Bill and Pat Smith, both of Columbus, Ga.; one sister, Susan Ward of Gastonia, N.C.; and one grandson.

Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. today, Sunday, at Irwin Chapel, 3980 Waples Road in Granite City, where services are at 9:30 a.m. Monday with the Rev. Michael Hopkins officiating. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery in St. Louis County.

### Harold Kositzky

Harold G. Kositzky, 61, of Granite City died at 6:21 a.m. Friday, Sept. 1, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, following a three-year illness. He was born Jan. 26, 1934, in Gladstone, Mich., and had been a resident of Granite City for 23 years.

A forklift driver with Thomas-Proetz Lumber in St. Louis for 17 years prior to his retirement in 1992, he was a member of Teamsters Local 682, an Army veteran, an avid bingo player and of the Lutheran faith.

Survivors include his wife, Sylvia (Uherick) Kositzky; one daughter, Cheryl McKinney of Granite City; his mother, Alva (Gabrielson) Kositzky of Escanaba, Mich.; and one sister, Joan Johnson of Escanaba.

He was preceded in death by his father, George Kositzky; and one sister, Joyce Mayoux, who died in 1981.

Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 4, at Werner Chapel, 3980 Waples Road in Granite City. Services are at 10 a.m. Tuesday with the Rev. Mike Hopkins officiating. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery in St. Louis County.

Memorials to the family of Harold Kositzky are suggested.

### Viola Hutchings

Viola E. (Ruffino) Hutchings, 73, of Granite City died at 4:10 a.m. Friday, Sept. 1, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was born Dec. 8, 1921, in Perry County, Ill., and had been a resident of the Granite City area for 35 years.

A cook with the Granite City Public Schools for 10 years prior to her retirement, she was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include two sons, James L. and Clarence D. Hutchings, both of Granite City; one daughter, Bonnie M. Hampsey of DuQuoin; two brothers, John and Pete Ruffino, both of Pinckneyville; three sisters, Marie Williams of Eureka, Mo., Angelina Ruffino of Chicago and Verna Queen of Sesser; six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Pete Hutchings, who died in 1976; her parents, Daniel and Elsie (Niederbach) Ruffino; and one granddaughter, Mrs. Hutchings remains were cremated.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 6, at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard in Granite City, with the Rev. Allen J. Reltter officiating. Burial of the cremains will be in St. John Cemetery in Granite City. Memorials are requested for the American Cancer Society or the Hospice of Madison County.

### Nina Eads

Nina Jean Eads, 65, of St. Petersburg, Fla., formerly of Granite City and Sparta, died Monday, Aug. 28, 1995, in Plano, Texas. She was born Dec. 8, 1929, in Paducah, Ky., and had lived in Granite City during the 1950s and Sparta during the 1960s.

Survivors include one son, Wallace Eads of Garland, Texas; and one daughter, Susan Hooper of Dallas.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lloyd "Bill" Eads. The family will receive friends from 9:30 to 10 p.m. Monday, Sept. 4, at the chapel in Halla Gardens of Memory, 3200 Old St. Louis Road in Belleville, where a memorial service will be held at 10 a.m. Monday. Burial will follow the services.

Arrangements are being handled by Restland Funeral Home in Dallas.

### Tour

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Lux deposited pictures, videos and fuel samples from the trip.

Trustees Hamm, Lux, Eleanor Armour and Michael Vrabec toured three Michigan power plants early last week. Two of the plants are operated by STRV LLC, the Connecticut-based company planning the Madison plant.

"Our agenda was to ask the same questions the people have been asking at the town meetings and hearings," Hamm said. "Personally, I have not come to a conclusion yet. I want to read the report from the hearing officer."

Materials collected during the trip will be available for public viewing at city hall, and Hamm said he was going to try to schedule a public viewing of the video.

After Hamm's presentation, City Attorney Casper Nighohossian cautioned aldermen that the materials from the trip should not be used as a basis for a decision at the plant. He said aldermen should use only the official report and records relating to the hearing.

The information from the trip is not included in the official record.

The council also accepted several letters for hearing officer Charles King. The city must

### Karin Seymore

Karin (Brenner) Seymore, 50, of Troy, formerly of Wiesbaden, Germany, died at 12:20 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 27, 1995, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville. She was born July 1, 1945, in Hofgeilmor, Germany.

A real estate broker and sales person with Re/Max Realtors, she served as past president of the international Women's Club and a member of the Board of Realtors and the Three Million Dollar Club with Re/Max Realtors. She was of the Evangelical faith.

Survivors include her husband, Charles Seymore, whom she married Dec. 4, 1970; two sons, Kevin Seymore of Granite City and Andrew Seymore of Collinsville; three daughters, Deborah Wallace of Irvington, Ill., and Diana Hartman and Deseree Norwood, both of Troy; her parents, Adolf and Herta (Kloes) Becker of Germany; one brother, Jürgen Brenner of Wiesbaden; and six grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at Friedens United Church of Christ in Troy with the Rev. Jane Hillman officiating. Burial was in Friedens Cemetery in Troy.

Arrangements were handled by Laughlin Funeral Home in Troy. Memorials are requested for the American Cancer Society or Friedens United Church of Christ.

### Gerald Schisler

Gerald A. Schisler, 69, of St. Petersburg, Fla., formerly of Lateland, Fla., and Granite City, died Friday, Aug. 18, 1995, at Bayfront Medical Center in St. Petersburg after being ill for several weeks. He was born April 21, 1926, in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mr. Schisler was employed in auto sales while living in Granite City in the 1970s. Survivors include his wife, Sally (Goshen) Schisler; one daughter, Jill (Schisler) Phillips of Granite City; and one son, George Schisler of Denver, Colo.; and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his former wife, Mary L. Schisler, who died in 1992; and his mother, Izzetta Hopple, who died in 1992.

A memorial service will be held at noon Sunday, Sept. 24, at the Nativity of the Virgin Mary Russian Orthodox Church, 416 Ewing Ave. in Madison.

## Accidents jam traffic

No serious injuries were reported when two nearly identical traffic accidents occurred on Pontoon Road Thursday afternoon, but traffic was backed up for nearly a mile for about a half-hour.

The first collision occurred at about 4:30, when a maroon Chrysler Labaron driven by Jamie Cottrell, 18, of the 2200 block of Bryan Avenue struck the rear of a blue Chevrolet S-10 pickup truck driven by Eugene L. Miller Jr., 43, of the 5500 block of Boyle Avenue.

Miller said he was stopped in the eastbound lane of Pontoon Road between Sara Street and Vesce Avenue while a car ahead of him waited to turn left onto Sara when the Labaron, also eastbound, struck his truck in the rear.

Cottrell told police she temporarily looked away from traffic and did not notice that Miller's truck had stopped until it was too late.

Three passengers in Cottrell's car were uninjured. Ten minutes later, while police were still clearing the accident scene, a second collision occurred at the same location when a red 1995 Dodge Ram pickup truck struck the rear end of an Agency for Community Transit bus carrying seven passengers.

Shannon D. Hayes of Allon, the bus driver, told police she was stopped in the eastbound lane of Pontoon Road waiting for a car ahead of her to turn left onto Sara Street when the eastbound Dodge pickup, driven by Barbara Dickmann, 46, of the 4000 block of Sara Street, struck the bus in the rear.

Dickmann told police she failed to see the stopped bus until it was too late to avoid the collision. Hayes and two bus passengers were taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center for treatment of minor injuries.

Eastbound traffic on Pontoon Road was backed up for nearly a mile for about a half-hour as a result of the accidents.

## Parade

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Floats and other units from labor organizations, marching bands, Shriners and veterans' organization units will participate in the annual parade.

The mile-long parade will end at Wilson Park in Granite City, where drink, food, music and speeches will greet unionists and their families. A highlight of the day will be the traditional tug-of-war contest.

The parade is the culmination of two weeks of activities organized by the Greater Madison County Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO.

## GCHS

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taken and awarded in October.

Major renovations will begin with the construction of a new media center, to be located adjacent to the present boiler room. The project is being completed in phases, allowing students to attend classes while the work is performed.

Eavenson said the district hopes to complete the project prior to the start of the 1997-98 school year.

Balen said a couple of features included in the original plan — such as a corridor connecting the cafeteria to the main building and a screening wall near the shop area — will now be included only if the project comes in close to the projected cost.

If the renovation comes in well below cost, the size of the media center may be expanded and broadcast facilities could be added there, Balen said.

Some board members said they would like to see any leftover funds used to construct an all-weather track around the football field.

## Accident

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Helms, of the 2000 block of Sand Road, was driving east on Chain of Rocks Road between Illinois Route 111 and Sand when his vehicle collided with the westbound motorcycle driven by Heltzley.

Lt. Bill Rockman, patrol commander of State Police District 11, said.

Helms told an investigating officer that the motorcycle tried to pass a white car and collided head-on with his vehicle, State Police said.

State Police accident reconstruction expert Jim Hall was called to the scene of the crash to find out how it happened, Rockman said.

"It was a head-on crash, and we're investigating to find the cause," Helms said.

Helms was charged with DUI after a state trooper smelled alcohol on his breath, Rockman said. Helms consented to a blood-alcohol test at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City, where he was released, State Police reported.

"We're waiting for results of the blood test," Haine said.

Hall took pictures and measurements of the accident scene, Haine said.

"We'll review Hall's analysis of the accident before further charges are considered," he said.

Heltzley's neighbors said the community was shocked by his death.

Former Village Trustee Paul Warren said Heltzley was a former custodian at Village Hall and was a longtime custodian at South Roxana Elementary School.

"He just bought that cycle two or three years ago, and he liked to go out for a little pleasure drive to clear his mind," Warren said.

After he came home from work Tuesday, Heltzley told his wife he was going for a little ride. He left about 9 p.m., Warren said.

"He must have taken the longer loop through Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville," but he had plenty of lights and saddlebags and all on that Honda. It wasn't as if you couldn't see him," he said.

"What happened was a super shock," Heltzley and Warren attended the same church, the First Southern Baptist Church in South Roxana, and shared an interest in motorcycles.

"He was one of those people who stayed to himself but was available to help anytime you asked," he said.

George Tucker, of the 900 block of Missouri Avenue, said Heltzley was just a nice guy.

"He was always busy working in the yard or the garden, and he spent a lot of time helping his children. The family liked to camp, and he had a little shop out in the garage where he worked on wood," he said.

"It's shocking to hear something like this. He was a good neighbor."

— From the Alton Telegraph

## I-270 lanes to be restricted

The Illinois Department of Transportation has announced that Interstate 270 will be restricted to one lane in each direction at Milepoint 15 at the Interstate 55-70-270 interchange near Troy, effective Sept. 5, weather permitting.

These closures are necessary to reconstruct three bridges which are a portion of the construction that extends from east of Illinois Route 157 to the interchange. Closures are expected to be in effect through November 1996.

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The color possibilities are virtually endless, and naturally, the color scheme in your garden is entirely up to you. Select the colors and combinations you like best.

Another factor that must be taken into consideration when planning a perennial garden is height and shape. A 2-foot tall plant in front of one that grows to only six inches wouldn't create the ideal garden. It's sort of like arranging all the relatives for the family photo. Taller ones in the back, please.

Perennials have different requirements as to light, soil and moisture. If the plants you choose all have the same care requirements, life will be much easier for you and the plants. If you desire plants that have different needs, try to at least group the similar ones together.

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You can sow seeds, put in transplants, or even divide existing perennials. Buy seeds if you want some

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Divisions, known as young plants separated from the parent plant, will fill in space quickly. You can take divisions from your own plants or exchange them with a friend or neighbor. When you divide perennials, you're separating the plant crown or grouping of bulbs into segments. Here are some ways to divide perennials.

Dig up the plant. Insert two spading forks back to back into the clump and bring the fork handles together, prying the clump apart. For tightly massed perennials like daylily and phlox, dig up the clump and chop it into squares with a shovel or spade. Some perennials, such as hosta, form multiple crowns. To divide them, remove only the young, outlying segments, leaving the parent plant in place.

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United Way campaign position: team leader

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Education: J.D., St. Louis U.

Community involvement: Rotary, Junior Achievement, Ambassadors, former alderman

Family: Wife, Rosemarie

On United Way: "I'm very proud to be a part of the 1995 United Way campaign. Being a small part of the great team of volunteers who do so much each year to help the needy ... makes me feel good."



## Profile:

### Robert M. Glik

United Way campaign position: "Business Blitz" Chairman

Occupation: Vice president, Glik stores

Education: BA, Economics, Univ. of Denver

Community involvement: United Way, co-creator of SEMC "Associate of Year" award.

Family: Wife, Zoe, and boys Charlie and Billy.

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Community involvement: Chamber of Commerce, Rotary, Optimist, American Red Cross

Family: Wife, Doris, and four children: Christopher, Christine, Steven and Harold.

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Community involvement: United Way, Chamber, Partnership In Education

Family: sons Bob and Neil, granddaughter Kaylie

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Help prevent low summer blood supplies from becoming a fall blood shortage. The American Red Cross urges healthy donors to give blood as soon as possible to make certain blood is constantly available. Each donation can potentially help up to three patients — from a preschool child with leukemia to a parent with cancer or a teacher needing a hip replacement.

There is a special need for type O, the universal blood type. While a safe, adequate supply depends on the goodwill of all types of healthy donors, type O continues at especially low levels.

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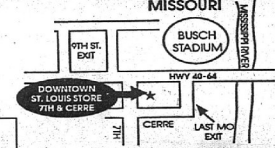
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## Hilgard's recalls 'state title'

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## Hilgards ace recalls '75 state title

The summer of 1975 was one Rob Pietroburgo never will forget.

"Things came into place for me that summer," said Pietroburgo as he recalled the summer prior to his sophomore year at the University of Missouri.

A lefthanded pitcher and graduate of Belleville West, "Pietro" twirled with a finesse in contrast to harder throwers who appeared to use petro and had much to prove in '75.

"I WAS THE youngest kid in my graduating class, and when I got to Mizou I got knocked around a bit," said Rob, who today is an executive with the A.G. Edwards and Sons Investment Company.

"I wasn't used to that and the American Legion season that summer allowed me to pitch more and improve."

Pietroburgo not only improved but helped lead the Belleville Hilgards, Post 58 American Legion team to a state title and within one game of the Legion World Series.

With victories of 5-1 and 4-0 in the state tourney, Pietro not only earned the Most Valuable Player award in the finals but proved he was ready for success at Missouri — where he earned won All-Big Eight Conference MVP honors his sophomore season.

TWO MORE SUCCESSFUL collegiate seasons would follow as well as six years of professional baseball (among his Cleveland Indians minor league roommates was Yon Healy), but it was the Legion season that left a special memory.

"Of all the teams I played on, none had the chemistry of that '75 Hilgard team," said Pietroburgo.

No wonder, then, why Pietroburgo is looking forward to a reunion of the '75 team scheduled for 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23 at the Pleasant Ridge Park off Bunkum Road in Fairview Heights.

Like other Legion teams that have met with manager Barney Elser and his coaches John Schmidt and Tom Musso, the '75 team has a special togetherness.

"I DON'T THINK we really were expected to do so well," said Pietroburgo. "I had been on two previous Legion teams, and even though they didn't get out of the District 22 tourney, they seemed to have more big name players."

A check of records supplied by Frank Cange of Belleville supported Pietroburgo. The team included players from Althoff and West, but the Maroons had a sub-par spring, and when the Legion season began, Belleville lost its first two games and fell to 3-5.

Chemistry then took over and, as Pietroburgo noted, "guys not only improved but pulled together."

According to Schmidt, the '75 team was special. A 36-14 final record included four consecutive wins in the state finals at Bellwood and three straight victories in the regional at Murray, Ky., before two losses to Ohio and elimination.

"That team from Ohio had a college player at each position," said Schmidt.

PIETROBURGO, MEANWHILE, was the only collegian on the Hilgards, who relied on a balanced hitting attack behind a pitching staff that featured "Pietro" with a 14-2 record and 1.02 earned run average. Other pitching leaders were Brian McFarland (3-3, 2.55), John Marifian (7-3, 2.55) and Jeff Kinnikin (4-2, 2.88).

Completing the Hilgards roster were: Al Alberter, Stan Abernathy, Mike Muskop, Chuck Fairbairn, Jim Bedwell, John Field, Phil Jacquot, Bob Smith, John Hogan, Barry Frazier, Scott Miller, Mike Dings, Charlie Leonard and Tom Frische.

Dinga led the '75 Hilgard hitters with a .402 average, while Frazier led in home runs (seven) and runs batted in (35).

# Big-play Panthers outrun Warriors

By Rob Raphael  
Staff writer

This time they picked on somebody their own size.

After taking it to Mascoutah last weekend, the O'Fallon Panthers proved that was more than just beating up on a smaller school, as they ran past Granite City 48-10 Friday night in a non-conference game played at O'Fallon.

Although the student enrollment may be similar, there was a big size advantage on the lines for the Panthers (2-0), and they took advantage by blocking well the entire evening.

THE RESULT WAS several big plays from the O'Fallon offense, and a good defensive job on the pesky Warriors (0-2).

Including return yardage, the Panthers piled up 538 yards of offense, and 335 of that came on just five plays.

"It was the big plays, no doubt about it," said Granite City coach Don Harris. "Especially that long return. We had

O'Fallon 46, Granite City 10

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First Quarter

O'FALLON — Victor Davis 39 run (kick failed), 6:54

GRANITE CITY — Rocky Smith 47 field goal, 1:21

Second Quarter

O'FALLON — Davis 83 run (Davis run), 1:53

O'FALLON — Aaron Stone 46 pass from Adam Blankenship (kick failed)

GRANITE CITY — Smith 16 pass from Kevin Harris (Smith kick), 3:34

O'FALLON — Tommie Bonner 98 kickoff return (Josh Smith kick), 3:18

Third Quarter

O'FALLON — Blankenship 68 run (kick failed), 11:27

O'FALLON — Davis 9 run (kick failed), 5:50

O'FALLON — Steve Kirkland 16 run (Marshall Goodman kick), 3:38

Fourth Quarter

No Scoring

just scored, the kids were up, and then they come back and do that to you. I thought that was the ballgame."

Midway through the second quarter the Warriors put together a solid 75-yard drive. (See WARRIORS, Page 3B)



Granite City quarterback Kevin Harris fires a pass over running back Matt Glover during last week's opener at Cahokia.

## Return home helps get golfers back on course

By Rob Raphael  
Staff writer

So far this season, the Warrior golfers have feasted on home cooking, but when they are forced to eat out they get a bad case of indigestion.

The Warriors were at the head of their own table on Thursday, as they defeated two more teams at Arlington Golf Course.

Granite City (8-2) got its best scores of the season so far, as a pair of warriors shot even par scores on the Arlington front nine. The Warriors shot a combined 153, 10 strokes better than Roxana (163) and far ahead of Wood River (189).

"WE CONTINUE TO play very well at home," GCHS coach Boone Chaney said in an understatement. The Warriors are 6-0 at Arlington. "But we also keep struggling on the road. We've played a lot at home, but that's about to change."

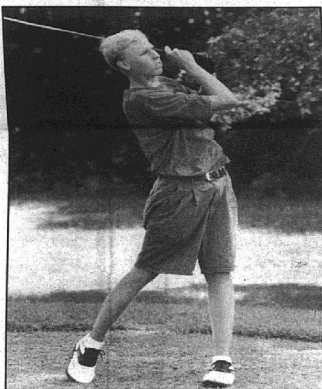
On Wednesday, at Oak Brook Golf Club in Edwardsville, the Warriors placed second in the four-team match. Edwardsville shot a 156 to defeat Granite City (171), Greenville (177) and Red Bud (179).

"We didn't play terribly, but Oak Brook is a tough, wooded course, and we didn't play the fairways very well," Chaney said.

Pat Schuman shot a combined 76 over the two days to lead the Warriors. He fired a 40 at Oak Brook, then followed with an even-par 36 Thursday. Also shooting par Thursday was Tim Harris.

MATT FOLEY SHOT a 40 on Thursday, and Pat Logan finished at 41. David Martin (42), Dan Ray (44), Chris Carpenter (45) and Tim Goskie (48) rounded out the Warriors' scoring, although only the top four golfers qualify for the team point totals.

Roxana was led by Mark Ortegre's 38, while



Tim Harris shot even par Thursday to help lead GCHS past Roxana and Wood River. Tom Geuraino shot a 40. Wood River was led by Kyle Anderson's 45. At Edwardsville, Schuman was followed by (See GOLFERS, Page 3B)

## Lady Warriors avenge CM loss, net first win

By Rob Raphael  
Staff writer

After losing to Civic Memorial in the Granite City Tournament last year, the Lady Warriors had a bit of revenge to get Thursday and they did so in impressive fashion, taking a 15-12, 15-10 victory at Memorial Gymnasium in the opener for both schools.

In sweltering conditions, Granite City played well enough to each game to earn wins, even though both teams exhibited signs of rustiness.

IN THE FIRST game, after the Lady Warriors got rid of their jitters, they played a good team game. The two teams traded rallies midway through the first game before Granite City pulled away.

In the second game, the Lady Warriors stepped up their play at the net, getting many of their hitters more involved in the play.

"We played well, and we showed good chemistry," said Granite City coach Cindy Gagich. "We have to work on our transitions; it seemed the longer the point went the slower our transitions got, too."

With few substitutions, and the heat inside the gym getting to some of the players, a three-game match might have been too much. Therefore, in the second game, after CM had crept back into the game and threatened to do more, Gagich called a timeout with her team up 14-11.



Jennifer Willis, GCHS senior, said she told them that we were OK, and that we couldn't do anything about what was behind us. All we had to do was relax and play ball. (See LADY WARRIORS, Page 3B)

STILL, THE EAGLES cut it to 14-12 on the next point. But the Warriors managed to gain the sidout, and put the game away with Jennifer Willis' sixth kill of the game.

Willis had nine kills in the match unofficially, and senior setter Denise McMullan recorded 13 assists. With the Warriors revamping their offense this year, it looked like all the tools are there to make the improve. (See LADY WARRIORS, Page 3B)

## Elks soccer tourney kicks into ninth year

By Rob Raphael  
Staff writer

Although there are other soccer tournaments in the Midwest, the Elks Soccer Classic is certainly one of the largest, and one of the best.

With teams coming in from at least seven states, the competition promises to be at a high level and tournament officials have a lot of work to do.

No doubt, everyone associated with the Elks organization has been very busy the last few weeks. A total of 250 teams will

have made their way into Granite City by this weekend.

LAST WEEK, AT the girls tournament, 118 teams came in for the event. And this weekend, 132 boys teams are on hand for the tourney, which is held at the Elks Complex behind the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College.

Randy Witter and Jim McKechnie are two of the Elks board members who are responsible for making this event, in its ninth year, work. It's not easy.

"This is pretty much a full-time job for me now," Witter

said. "I spend about 10 hours per week during really most of the year. Then when June gets here it goes up to about 20 hours, and by the time July gets here it is more like 40 hours a week."

"And right after the tournament is over, we start planning for the next one."

WITTER IS THE fortunate soul the team coaches and managers call when they have questions or gripes. He said his phone starts ringing at 7 a.m. and doesn't quit until late at (See TOURNEY, Page 3B)



Elks U-14 goalie Cookie Fields clears away the ball during play at the Elks Tournament last weekend.

## PK goals lift GCHS past Marquette 2-1

By Rob Raphael  
Staff writer

Teams opposing the Granite City soccer team each have their own way of trying to defeat the Warriors.

Apparently, the trend this year is to be physical. That's been the tactics of all three of Granite City's opponents so far.

IT HASN'T WORKED yet. Fortunately for the Warriors, on Thursday night, the referees helped out, as they called a pair of penalty kicks against Alton Marquette.

Justin Bernaix made the Explorers pay dearly, as he nailed both kicks, and the War-

riors escaped with a 2-1 win in a non-conference game at the Gauntlet.

The assists on the goals came from Steve Logan, who was pulled down midway through the second half in the Marquette penalty area; and Justin McMullan, who was also fouled in the box with just 53 seconds left in the game.

It was a near miss for a team which asked to play the Warriors (3-0) just a couple weeks ago. Marquette had an open date and wanted to play a top team.

"IT WAS A very competitive game," said GCHS coach Gene Baker. "They had been asking

for this game, and it's the kind of game they needed to help their program. They definitely came to play physical."

"We felt like we could have had a couple more penalty kicks in the game."

Baker said when teams play physical, they count on it can be different at times," Baker said. "They try to exploit the officiating. Sometimes it works; fortunately it didn't."

BAKER SAID HE got a strong game Thursday from Kyle Briggs in the defensive

midfield, and added that McMullan, still recovering from an injury, continues to bounce back.

Jeremy Smith played the entire game in goal for the Warriors, and he picked up his second win.

There is no telling how this game was to have prepared Granite City for its first big test of the season. The Warriors were to travel to play Winney High on Saturday for their annual showdown with one of St. Louis' top teams.

Game time for junior varsity is 5:30 p.m.

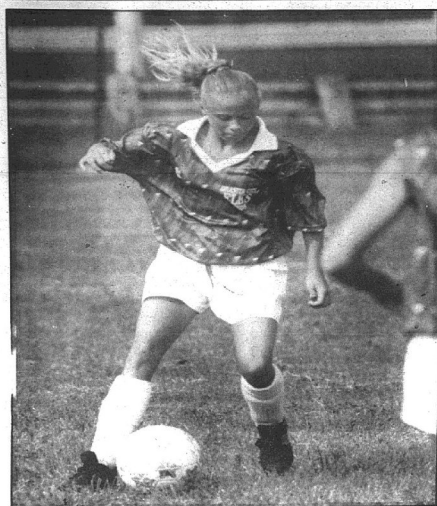
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Justin Bernaix  
Two goals



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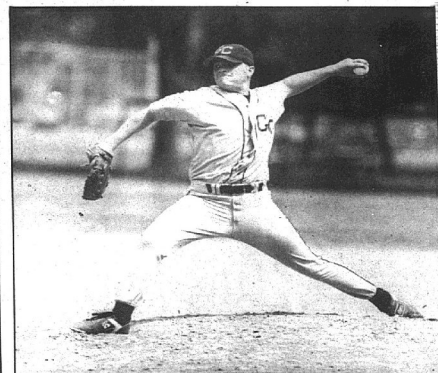
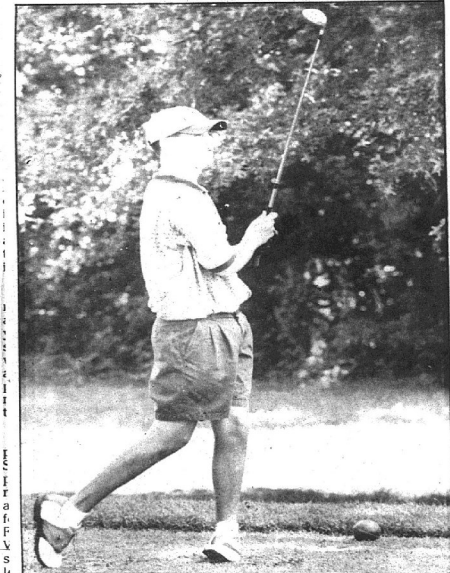


Left: Elks soccer player Christine O'Brinski gets the ball under control. Below: Granite City Clippers second baseman Jeff Stephens applies a tag.

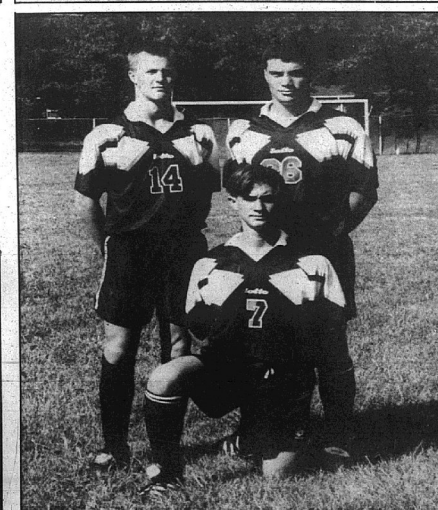
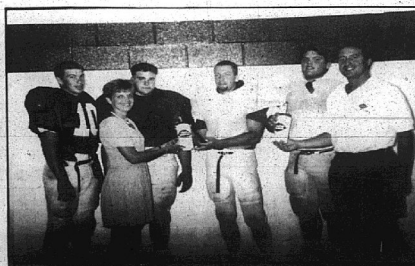
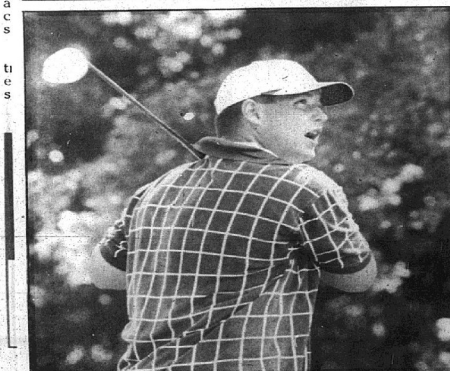


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Above: Terry Wallace, coach of the Granite City Elks U-14 girls soccer team, gives his players a pep talk at halftime during a game at the Elks Tournament last weekend at the Elks Complex.  
Left: Holly Derossot makes a pass.



Clockwise, from below — GCHS football captains (from left) Kevin Harris, Ryan Relleke, Matt Kelahan and Chris Janek receive water bottles from Dawn and Bob Steen of Pontoon Beach Dairy Queen, which recently donated a new set of water bottles to the Warriors. GCHS golfer Pat Logan tracks his shot. Tim Goskie tees off. Shortstop Jamie Hogan of the Granite City Clippers fields a grounder during action at the Mon-Clair League finals. Mark Winfield unwinds with a pitch. Team captains for the GCHS soccer team this year are (from left) seniors Steve Logan, Justin McMillan and Justin Bernaix.



## Warrior

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The drive was helped by a fourth-and-five gamble. Panther 35-yard line quarterback Kevin Harris connected with tight end Moos with a 16-yard pass. Granite City was in the 20-10 when Harris led Smith three plays later back of the end zone. But on the ensuing return man Tomlin rambled 98 yards to the Granite City kick line. The Panthers back up. "Yes, I thought the play of the game," O'Fallon coach Gary. "It was a very big (the Warriors) were game up to that point. Different game after the Also thrilling the packed Panther State running back Victor scored on touchdown 83 and 9 yards. Dav yards on seven car-

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## Warriors

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The drive was helped by a fourth-and-five yard pass to the Panther 35-yard line. Warrior quarterback Kevin Harris connected with tight end Jason Moad with a 16-yard pass; and Granite City was in the game at 20-10 when Harris hit Rocky Smith three plays later in the back of the end zone.

But on the ensuing kickoff, return man Tommie Bonner rambled 98 yards through the Granite City kick team to put the Panthers back up 27-10.

"Yes, I thought that was the play of the game there," said O'Fallon coach Gary Bridell. "It was a very big one. They (the Warriors) were still in the game up to that point. It was a different game after that."

Also thrilling the crowd at a packed Panther Stadium was running back Victor Davis, who scored on touchdown runs of 38, 83 and 9 yards. Davis had 104 yards on seven carries at the

end of the first quarter, and he finished with 187 yards on just 12 carries.

Meanwhile, the Panther defense held Granite City to 225 yards of offense.

However, the Warriors got offensive sparks from back Billy Niepert, who rushed 13 times for 79 yards; and Smith, who besides nailing a 47-yard field goal, made a nice over-the-shoulder grab to score the Warriors' only touchdown.

Also playing well for Granite City, on defense, were Chris Janek (six tackles, one sack), Jeremy Hoback (eight tackles) and Matt Glover (five tackles).

Ali Taylor was third, with two points on defense, looking solid at nose guard. He made five solo tackles, and was in on 10 stops in all. Also coming up big was Mike Routh at linebacker, who was in on nine stops.

Smith's field goal, a monster shot from 47 yards, had the Warriors down just 6-3. Davis scored his second and longest

touchdown of the night in the first quarter, when he broke through the right side of the Warrior defense and simplified the defensive backs.

O'Fallon put the game away with three scores in the third quarter, including a 68-yard keeper by Blankenship on the Panthers' first play from scrimmage in the second half.

"I thought Granite played very well at times," Brill said. "They're going to win some games this year. We want to approach each game one at a time. We would like to win our conference this year; and if we do that we'll probably make the playoffs. We didn't think anything about the Scouting game during the week. We thought we beat a good team last week, and we did same this week."

"They were as good as admitted," said Harris of the Panthers. "They have talent, and quickness. They are an around good team."

## GCHS

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his fine play early in the season, and his two goals to go with one assist gives him five points this season.

The Warriors' scoring leader so far is striker Mark Menden-

hall, who has three goals and two assists for eight points.

Josh Hickman is third, with two goals and four points; and Eric Edwards has a goal and an assist for three points.

Corey Wallace has two points on a goal, and McMillian has a

pair of assists. Logan is the top Warrior in the scoring team, with one point.

In Sunday's Journal, McMillian was incorrectly given credit for an assist on Wallace's goal. The assist should have been credited to Mendenhall.

## Tourney

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McKechan, on the other hand, has to worry about maintenance for the fields, as well as concession parking, etc.

"We sold a lot of snow cones and we used a lot of ice last weekend," he said. "It was hot but not as hot as it was a couple of years ago. It looks like the weather may cooperate again this weekend."

"WE HAVE TO lease the use of the fields, which are the property of the BAC school board. And we have to use the parking lot for our parking. The school has been fantastic."

McKechan said because the tournament has continued to grow, the Elks must use several of the fields at the Quad-City Soccer Complex in West Grant as well.

Play for the boys tournament began Saturday, progressed through today and finishes Monday. The last game should wind up about 4 or 5 p.m. Monday.

"We can probably handle about 20 more teams, but we would be about 100,000 when asked how much bigger the tourney can get."

THE ELKS THEMSELVES fielded teams in nearly every age bracket at both tournaments. The competition last weekend was very strong, but the Elks teams had their share of wins. In fact, Danny Long's '86 Elks team and Bob Herman's U-15 team each won two games and advanced to the round robin phase.

"Overall, we did well, going 7-7-2," said Elks coordinator Barry Grote. "It's the best competition we've had in the history of the tournament, and it's the best we've ever done."

Witter said the goal of the tournament is clear. "We want to give an outlet for the kids of the community, and support them. It's an outlet for the parents, too. It's not necessarily about wins and losses."

"MORE KIDS TRY out for soccer teams in this country than all of the other sports combined. It's a very popular activity, and certainly nothing's bigger around here than soccer."

The classic is also a big money-maker for the Elks. The tournament raises as much money by itself as all of the other fund-raising events normally do during the rest of the year. That is money pumped back toward the kids for the purchase of uniforms, equipment and traveling expenses.

"This is about the biggest thing happening in the Elks organization," McKechan said. "We have Elks come in from around the country and they can't believe it. Nothing else in the organization comes close."

## Golfers

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Ray (42), Harris (44), Martin (45) and Carpenter (45).

"Overall, we're doing pretty well, and we'll take things one day at a time," Chaney said. "Our scores seem to be improving, at least here at Arlington."

JUST A FEW days ago, Chaney said he hoped he could get a match where three of his golfers shot under 40. He nearly got his wish Thursday.

"That's good, and a little better than I expected," he said. "But we have some tough matches coming up, and not

that many home matches left."

Granite City has a few days off before playing host to Belleville West on Sept. 8 and Edwardsville and Althoff on Sept. 7. That sets the stage for the annual Granite City Scramble, scheduled for Sept. 9.

But after that, the Warriors play seven of their final nine dates away from the friendly confines of Arlington.

"IT GETS TOUGH from this point," Chaney said. "We face a lot of tough teams, and our conference schedule will be fully, we can continue to improve."

## Lady Warriors

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"Jennifer was ready to go," Gagich said. "The whole team was fired up. We wanted to prove something against this team."

"We still want more variety in our offense, but with this being the first game we went with more standard plays. We have the hitters to run the kind of offense we want."

With Stephanie Brandt out with a mild hip injury, Gagich moved sophomore Jenna Wright to the inside hitter's position from her normal outside spot. The move paid off, as Wright provided five kills and four blocks on the night.

Tara Wiebusch also provided a spark with her serving in game two. She served four consecutive points — three of them on aces — to stretch the lead to

13-6. Amy Tapp stepped up in game one and slammed two big kills, and Jill Wozniak served two points and put two kills to the floor in the second game.

GCHS also played well defensively, especially on the back line. The team recorded 33 digs in the match, with six from Wiebusch in game two and five from McMillan. Willis also contributed on the back row with four digs.

"We didn't rotate Jennifer fully last year," Gagich said. "I thought she played very well there tonight."

Granite City moved on to play at Highland on Friday night, and will travel to Edwardsville on Wednesday.

Although Granite City defeated Edwardsville last year, it was by forfeit because of a teachers strike. On the court, the Lady Warriors have never beaten Edwardsville in Gagich's four-plus years as coach.

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**Midget II champs** — The Amvets 51 baseball team won Midget II division and playoff titles in the Granite City Park District this season. Amvets finished 10-2 in its division and defeated the Sportsprint Stars 9-5 in the playoffs. Team members include (front row from left) Jason Fernandez, Dwayne McKee, Kevin Carroll, Randy Whitehead, Adam Moniz and Robert Shipley; back row, Billy Cahill, Dave Dennis Moniz, Andy Elliff, Josh Peacher, Kevin Elliott, Nathan White, coach Dave Carroll, Dave Elliff, coach Adron Cahill. Not pictured: Ken Elliff.



# FAMILY



Shown are, from left, front row, Alma Reynolds, Lioness' past president, and Helen York, president-elect; back row, Kelly Cramer, Ada Conklin, Dottie Farrell, Karen Simpson, Evelyn Kaleta and Cindy Dew.

## Lucille Martin celebrates 86 years

Lucille Martin covers the Pontoon Beach scene for the Press-Record Journal. She can be contacted at 931-0731.

**Lioness Club II**  
The Pontoon Beach Lioness Club, 3901 Lake Drive in Pontoon Beach, elected and installed new board members for 1995-96. Mike Starke, vice governor, conducted the installation.

Those installed were Helen York, president; Kelly Cramer, vice president; Karen Simpson, recording secretary; Dottie Farrell, treasurer; Cindy Dew, corresponding secretary; Evelyn Kaleta, Lioness tamer; and Tina Longo, tail twister. Three directors were elected, Paula Werner, Ada Conklin and Alma Reynolds.

The evening was enjoyed by many guests. Lions and other Lioness. Dinner was served and the rest of the evening was spent dancing.



Lucille Martin

### Senior citizens

Pontoon Beach Senior Citizens held its regular meeting on Aug. 15 in the senior building. Entertainment was presented by Claude and Glenda.

Members attending were Bill and Ruth Dagon, Earl and Rose Edmiston, Glen and Robbie Wilson, Everett and Alice Hudson, Irene McCaslin, Vera Bolton, Jackie Trgovich, Mike Doneff, Alvina Thurau, Karmyn Edmonds, Art and Myrtle Thurston, Jim and Diane Hill, Salt and Joan Crowell, Mabel Kennerly, Frances Harper, Edna Webster, Thelma Falls and Lee and Betty June Ridgeway.

**Open house**  
An open house was held recently in the home of Lucille Martin by her daughters, Marilee Verdu of Millstadt and Maxine Green of Granite City, in honor of her 86th birthday.

Sharing birthday wishes were Christina Watson, Heather Sandy, Scott Watson, Roybn Campbell, Lisa Carpenter and daughters; Carole Verdu, Jocelyne, Emily and Laura Daniel; Kathy Green and daughters, Keri and Courtney; Becky Ella Davis; Ruth Bailey; Kay Anderson and granddaughters Ashley and Whitney; and Kim and Amanda Moulden.

Martin also received telephone calls from Amanda Langston and Fanny Bergman, both of St. Louis; a sister, Helen Alt of Virginia; and a brother-in-law, Ivan Martin, along with other relatives in Morgantown, Ky.

## One-day trip to Hermann set for Oct. 18

The Granite City Park District will sponsor a one-day trip on Wednesday, Oct. 18, to Hermann, Mo. The cost of the trip is \$45 per person and will go on sale at the Wilson Park ice rink at 8 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, after which reservations can be made at the Wilson Park office.

The bus will depart the Wilson Park ice rink at 9:30 a.m. The route to be followed will include traveling through the wine country of Missouri before arriving in Hermann.

A tour of the Stone Hill Winery will be the first stop of the day with a lunch buffet following at the Landing Restaurant. Next will be a live musical show at the local theater, Jukebox USA, featuring music of the 40s, 50s and 60s. Following the show, a local resident of many years will board the bus

to guide a tour of the historic Hermann area. All of the above and the bus transportation are included in the cost.

The group will then head for home by a different route than that taken on the way, with a stop at the outlet mall in Warrenton, Mo., which features many designer label stores that are not common in other outlet malls. Time will be allowed for shopping before departing. A fast food stop will be made en route to Granite City. The bus will arrive back at the ice rink in the early evening.

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## AMA to hold poker, pledge ride

Maxine Green covers the Granite City area for the Press-Record Journal. She can be contacted at 931-0256.



Maxine Green

**Sloss Birth**  
Evelyn and Patsy Sloss have announced the arrival of a baby daughter on Friday, Aug. 1 at Anderson Hospital in Tryville. She weighed seven pounds, one-half ounces, and is 20 1/2 inches long. Her name is Addison Paige.

Maternal grandparents are Joyce Sternberg and Larry and Pat Hines. Her paternal grandparents are Sidney and Laura Sternberg. Addition John brothers Doug and Ryan Sloss.

**Brotherhood University**  
A Brotherhood University, a continuing education experience for leaders of Baptist men's ministries, challenges and royal ambassadors, will be held Sept. 21-23 in Tryville. The event is an annual affair to fight multiple sclerosis. All hikes are welcome.

The ride starts at Widman Harley Davidson Suzuki, 3628 S. Broadway in St. Louis. Call (314) 771-7100 for more information or directions.

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**Simpson Birth**  
Jennifer Simpson has announced the birth of a baby girl, Kaitlyn Daniele, who arrived at 9:03 p.m. Aug. 23, 1995, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. She weighed eight pounds, five ounces, and was 22 inches long.

Her grandparents are Jim and Janet Simpson. Goldie Knox is the great-grandmother.

**Poker Run**  
The ninth annual poker run and pledge ride of the AMA District 18 Rally will be held on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 16 and 17. This is an annual affair to fight multiple sclerosis. All hikes are welcome.

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and St. Louis Music will donate an autographed guitar to the highest bidder. Randy Raley will be the host.

In case of rain, the event will be held Sept. 24.

**Senior Services**  
Senior Services Plus has some interesting trips planned for September. Contact your local group or call the Alton Senior Services Plus at 465-3298 for information on reservations and places of departure.

On Sept. 27, "Forever Plaid" on the Goldenrod Showboat will be enjoyed. This is a salute to the music of the 1950s. 1960s, with everyone's favorite Perry Como, Harry Belafonte and Johnny Ray songs. A meal on board is part of the afternoon's pleasure.

Branson, Mo., will be visited on Sept. 19 and 20. Some highlights will be a group dinner and a Wayne Newton show. The second day will include attending the \$25,000 game show with host Bob Eubanks. It is guaranteed that at least two people from the group will be called on stage and have a chance to win prizes. The group will then ride the Ozark Ducks, which includes a 70-minute excursion on Table Rock Lake.

## Milestones

Johnny Wells celebrated his sixth birthday Sept. 1.

Veronica (Nelson) Voegle celebrates her 32nd birthday today, Sept. 3.

Bonnie Kaye Collison celebrates her birthday today, Sept. 3.

Stanley and Pauline Sobolewski celebrates their 57th wedding anniversary today, Sept. 3.

Doug and Margie Residing celebrates their wedding anniversary today, Sept. 3.

Jesse Wright celebrates his 18th birthday today, Sept. 3.

Gina Baumer will celebrate her 37th birthday Sept. 4.

Dorothy Taylor will celebrate her ninth birthday Sept. 4.

Janice McIntyre will celebrate her birthday Sept. 4.

Catherine Papin will celebrate her 91st birthday Sept. 5.

Jessica Dover will celebrate her sixth birthday Sept. 6.

Paul Joseph Cox will celebrate his 28th birthday Sept. 7.

Ashley Slover will celebrate her 13th birthday Sept. 8.

Christ N. Schmitt will celebrate her birthday Sept. 8.

Larry Judd will celebrate his birthday Sept. 8.

Elizabeth Stevens will celebrate her birthday Sept. 9.

For a mention in the milestones listings, send a postcard with the person's name, date of celebration and telephone number to: MILESTONES, Granite City Press-Record/Journal, 1112 Delmar Ave., Granite City, Ill., 62040.

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# Goals, memory change with age



Don Miller

A few weeks ago I "celebrated" my 58th birthday. Actually, celebrated is not entirely accurate. After a certain point, birthdays are reluctantly acknowledged by definitely not being celebrated. For many years, each New Year's Day I would make a list of my personal goals. Becoming 58 was never among them, at least until I became 57. However, the only alternative is so permanent that I am not

really complaining.

When I was in my teens and 20s, I firmly believed that the world was my oyster, and all I had to do was pry it open to pick up my pearl.

When I was in my 30s, I realized that life was a little tougher than I had thought, especially with a wife and

children to support. I was going to have to work harder than I anticipated to realize my goals.

When I was in my 40s, I realized that I was never going to achieve some of my goals, and those goals I did achieve, especially material goals, often were not nearly as satisfying as the anticipation of them had been. This was often depressing.

When I got to my 50s, I realized that I was not going to get out of this life alive anyway, so there was little sense in getting upset at missing material goals or getting too excited about achieving them. Also, my goals changed from things that I desired to achieve personally to goals I hoped my children and grandchildren would achieve.

One of the benefits of maturity is supposed to be the greater wisdom that comes from experience. That's a great theory, but unfortunately maturity is often accompanied by your memory playing funny little tricks on you. I can remember the name of every starting player on the 1959 Chicago White Sox, the exact shade of blue of the eyes

## My view

of a little blonde named Carol that sat next to me in seventh grade, and how to repair a transmission in a 1956 Ford. But I often can't remember what I ate for lunch or if I dropped the cleaning off at the cleaners on the way to work this morning. I would be smart as heck if I could only remember all the things I know.

Several years ago I decided to fight the natural process of aging and bought a book:

"Total Recall: How to Boost Your Memory Power." The first several chapters seemed very good, but then I misplaced it somewhere and it has never resurfaced. If you find a copy of "Total Recall" lying around, please mail it to me, as it's probably mine.

I wasn't really upset about misplacing it, though. Maturity does bring patience — and one other thing. Unfortunately, I can't remember what the other thing is right now, but I'm sure it will come to me eventually.

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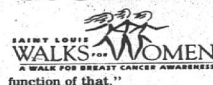


# Waks for Women to raise awareness

By Kevin Carbery  
Staff writer

Raising money is certainly an important aspect of the St. Louis Walks for Women event, but educating about breast cancer is an equally vital task.

"It's both to raise awareness and bring people together in their understanding of breast cancer," said Stephanie Strauss, co-chair of this year's fund-raising effort on behalf of the American Medical Center (AMC) Cancer Research Center. "Raising money is a key



function of that."

Karen Carroll, the other co-chair and the founder of the event, said, "For me, it's primarily an awareness event. For example, on the registration forms we do, there are details about self-exams. It encourages them to do self-exams."

"I personally know of three women, since they became involved in this, who have saved

their lives by finding the breast cancer early. It is very curable. It just needs to be detected early and treated."

The walks are to take place at 1 p.m. (with registration starting at 11:30 a.m.) on Sunday, Oct. 1, at Fontbonne College in Clayton and at Our Lady of the Snows site near Belleville. There are 1-mile and 5-mile routes available at each location. Awards ceremonies are to take place at 2:30 p.m.

Participants are asked to obtain pledges for each mile walked or donations. Walkers

with the top three amounts raised at each location will win prizes. First prizes are \$1,000 gift certificates to the Diamond Shop in Clayton. Second prize winners will receive two round-trip tickets on Southwest Airlines, valid anywhere in the continental United States. Third-place finishers are to receive four 1996 season passes for Six Flags amusement park.

Individual corporate teams also can win awards for hitting certain contribution levels.

For more information call 314-569-0500.

## Sunday Crossword Puzzle

Edited by Joyce Nichols Lewis

"TRADE TABOOS"

By Frances Hansen

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## Agusti's On The Hill

3200 Edwards 772-6003  
 40% and beyond music, 8:30 - 11:30 p.m.  
 September 8. \$5.50 in advance and \$6.50 at the door. Doors open at 7:45 p.m.  
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## Andrea's 24KT Lounge

4944 Christy Blvd. 352-7969  
 Concept, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., Sept 8 & 9.

## Arnold Bowl

1140 Joffe Blvd. 296-9900  
 Greg & Southside Wally, September 15, 22 & 30.

## Art Vieu's Comedy etc.

Ramada Inn, Fairview Heights, Ill. (618) 344-LAFF or (618) 628-HAHA  
 Showtimes on Thursdays and Fridays at 8:30 p.m., Saturdays at 8:30 & 10:30 p.m. Tickets are \$6, Thursday 8:30 & SAT. 10:30 and \$8 Friday and Saturday 8:30. Gateway Comedy Showcase every Tuesday tickets are \$2 and Wacky Wednesday and Improv Night tickets are \$5.

Maddening Crowd, Wacky Wednesday Improv, September 6 & 13.  
 Jim Keith will open for Gerry Grossman with Hossie headlining, September 7 - 9.

Gary Rittenhouse will open for Derrick Turner with Lori Callahan headlining, September 14 - 16.

## Babes

3215 Vanhook 647-3436  
 Mark Gordon, 8 p.m. - midnight, September 7, 14, 21 & 28.

## Blueberry Hill

6544 Delmar 727-0880 (Music Phone 727-0880)  
 The Highway Marmos (folk rock) September 4.

Reggie At Will (reggae), September 8 & 9.  
 Red Blues (Texas blues) September 11 & 18.  
 Mississippi River Music Festival, September 14.

Featured acts will be:  
 The James Ray, 9 p.m.  
 Stumbleweed, 10 p.m.  
 Adamjack, 11 p.m.

Hawley's Maggie, midnight  
 Mississippi River Music Festival, September 15.

Featured acts will be:  
 Heroes & Villains, 10 p.m.  
 The Delahans, 11 p.m.  
 The Honeydolls, midnight.

Mississippi River Music Festival, September 16.  
 Featured acts will be:  
 Irishy, 9 p.m.  
 Feet of Clay, 10 p.m.  
 The Goldenettes, 11 p.m.

The Runways, midnight

## Brewhouse

Bennington Place 434-5511  
 Mark Gordon, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 6, 13, 20 & 27.

Brewsky's  
 1792 N. New Florissant Rd. 837-4553  
 Beno, September 6 & 7, 13 & 14.  
 Chydie Play, Sept. 8 & 9.  
 Redlines, September 15 & 16.

Broadway Oyster Bar  
 736 S. Broadway 621-8811  
 Patti & the Hittens, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 15.

Cadillac Jacks  
 12950 St. Charles Rock Rd. 298-8232  
 Patti & the Hittens, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m., September 17.

Casa Gallardo—Bridgeton  
 12380 St. Charles Rock Rd. 739-5700  
 Hoosier Buddy, 9 p.m. - 12:30 a.m., September 16.

Casa Grill—Galleria  
 1491 St. Louis Galleria 727-2223  
 Arevel & Co., 8 - 9 p.m., September 6, 20 & 27.

Oliver Johnson Duo, 6 - 9 p.m., September 13.

Cave Springs Lanes  
 4050 Mexico Rd. 441-1774  
 Mario Bocketti, September 8.

Chris' Pub  
 1833 Dunn Rd. 837-5491  
 Zoe Ann & Larry, 8 - 11 p.m., September 5, 12, 19 & 26.

Joy Fushia, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m., September 8 & 9, 15, 16, 22 & 23.

Christ Church Cathedral  
 1210 Locust St. 231-3454  
 Rhonda McNeel, soprano, and Cathy Wagoner, piano, will perform works of Handel, Wagner, Puccini and John Carter, 8 p.m., September 15. The performance is free and open to the public.

Cotter's Lounge  
 4610 S. Kingshighway 353-9943  
 Greg & Southside Wally, September 23.

Cutter's At The Wharf  
 349 Wharf, St. Charles 361-4222  
 Oliver Johnson Trio, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m., September 7, 14, 16, 21, 28 & 30.

Dave's Cappuccino  
 206 N. Bluff Rd., Collinsville, Ill. (618) 344-JAVA  
 There is a \$1 cover charge for Tuesday shows and a \$2 cover for shows Wednesday through Saturday.

Open Mic night every Tuesday through August.

Dave Lindsay, 9 p.m., September 6, 9 & 30.  
 Mike Harper, September 7 & 29.  
 Beth Tuttle, September 8 & 20.  
 Jeff, September 10.  
 Mr. Dill, September 13.  
 Tim Scott, September 14 & 28.  
 Patti Flanagan, September 15.  
 Butch Moore, September 16.  
 Mark Gordon, September 17.  
 Russ Anderson, September 21.

Dierdorf & Hart's at Union Station  
 108 Union Station 421-1772  
 George Sladek, 6-10 p.m., September 8, 9, 15 & 16.

## Dorsett Inn

12068 Dorsett Rd. 291-3694  
 Jeffery Rylant, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 3.  
 Devon Allman, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 4.  
 Michelle Erle, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 5.  
 Bill Christy, host City Jam, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m., September 5.

1860 Hardshell Cafe & Bar  
 1860 S. 9th 231-1650  
 Bill Case and his Wild Accusations, 7:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m., September 3, 10, & 24.  
 Jimmy, Greg & Southside Wally, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 4, 11, 18, & 25.

Fluid Drive, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 6, 13, 20, & 27.

Scott Reunion, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 7, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28 & 30.

Billy Barnett, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 5 & 26.

Beaver Brothers, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 12 & 19.

Sliders, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 15, 16 & 22.

Rhythm Imperials, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 8 & 22.

Steve Pecora, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 2 & 30.

Marcel Strong, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 23.

Fast Eddie's Bon Air  
 1540 E. 4th, Alton, Ill. (618) 462-5532  
 Stonebraker, September 7, 14, 21 & 28.

Fat Tuesday  
 700 N. 2nd Street 241-2008  
 Duo Sonik, 8 p.m. - midnight, September 8.  
 2 Cents, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m., September 9.

Scott Logan, 8 p.m. - midnight, September 15, 29.

Scott Logan, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m., September 16, 30.

2 Cents, 8 p.m. - midnight, September 23.

2 Cents, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m., September 23.

21st Presbyterian Church  
 6160 Delmar, Granite City, Ill. (618) 452-1100

Jack Jenkins will join Dan Vizer for the church's Organ Dedication, 7 p.m., September 17.

First Presbyterian's organ has been completely refurbished and rejuvenated after a devastating fire last year. Bach's Concerto for D Minor for piano and organ will be one of the pieces performed. No ticket is necessary for admission.

Focal Point  
 8158 Bird 961-6881

Louis Killen (English singer and concertina playing sea shanties and old songs) Sept. 9. Tickets are \$10.

Cathal McConnel and Len Graham (Irish singers, featuring flute music and Irish songs) Sept. 16. Tickets are \$12.50.

Gateway One Patio  
 Market & 7th St. 241-1175

Mystic Voyage, 4:30 - 8 p.m., September 8.

Garage Bar  
 4000 Mexico Road, St. Peters 278-1354  
 Little Too Much, Sept. 15 & 16.

Hannegan's On The Landing  
 719 N. 2nd Street 241-8877  
 Soulard Blues Band, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m., September 3.

Oliver Sain Revue, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m., September 8.

Fairchild, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m., September 9.

Swing, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m., September 15 & 16.

Free Spirit, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m., September 22 & 23.

Houlihan's at Union Station  
 147 St. Louis Union Station 436-0844  
 Arevel & Co., 4 - 7 p.m., September 3, 10, 17 & 24.

Hyatt Regency, Union Station  
 Union Station 372-4461

Marvin Harnreich, composer and pianist in a benefit performance for McKendree College, 6 p.m., Sept. 17. Tickets are \$75 each. For tickets or more information, call 537-4660 or 436-3301 ext. 6860 from Missouri.

Jammers Nightclub  
 3417 Lemay Ferry 892-2394  
 Little Too Much, September 9.  
 Mardi Gras, September 16.  
 Excitators, September 23.  
 Transit, September 23.

Jazz at the Bistro  
 3536 Washington Ave. 534-3663

Peter Martin Trio, two sets every evening at 9 and 10:45 p.m. \$5 music charge on Wednesday & Thursday, \$10 on Friday and Saturday, September 6-9.

Diana Krall with a tribute to Nat "King" Cole, two sets every evening at 9 and 10:45 p.m. \$5 music charge on Wednesday & Thursday, \$10 on Friday and Saturday, September 20-23.

Jefferson Barracks Park  
 Telegraph Road and I-25 487-4086

Complex Health Concert Band, 7:30 p.m., September 3, at the amphitheater, Robert Ellison, baritone, will be guest performer along with Jan Clippo, piccolo. Performance highlighted by fireworks display during finale of this patriotic tribute. Admission is free with refreshments and concert band promotional items available for sale.

Stonebraker, as part of South County Community Days, 3 - 5 p.m., September 17. For more information call 631-4900.

Joey's Doghouse  
 9855 Broadway 638-0443  
 Chic, August 30.

Wooden Nickel Band, September 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29 & 30.

Jolly Ace  
 1626 State St., Nashville, Ill. (618) 324-5419

Mark Gordon, with Farrell, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 10.

Mark Gordon, with Farrell, 8:30 p.m. - 12:30 a.m., September 22.

Kennedy's 2nd Street Company  
 612 N. 2nd St. 421-3655

Cover for City Jam is \$3 from 9:30 p.m. - midnight, \$2 after midnight and \$1 to musicians all night.

## New World Spirits

10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m., September 3.

Jeff Rylant, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 3.

Devon Allman, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 4.

Michelle Erle, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 5.

Bill Christy, host City Jam, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m., September 5.

Kennedy's Unplugged, 7 p.m. - 11 p.m., September 6.

Jeff Rylant, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 7.

Moss with Freeze the Hopper, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m., September 7.

NCRBS, benefit, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m., September 8.

Sun Saved in O, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m., September 12.

The Bibles, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 10.

Will Robertson, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 12.

Andy Schmidt, host City Jam, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m., September 12.

Stone Soup, midnight - 2:30 a.m., September 13.

Rick Ryant, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 14.

Mississippi River Music Festival, with Dierdorf, 9 p.m. - 11 p.m., September 13.

Dog China, 11 p.m. Panel Donor, Rainbow, 1 a.m. \$5 cover or wristband after 8:30 p.m., September 14.

Mississippi River Music Festival, with Ambush, 9 p.m.; Dorian Gray, 10 p.m.; Mole-Grasshopper, 11 p.m.; Paralell Lovekick, Glas, 1 a.m. \$5 cover or wristband after 8:30 p.m., September 15.

Tangereen Dreams, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 16.

Mississippi River Music Festival, with Lab-Lolly, 9 p.m.; Squidboy, 10 p.m.; Rocket Fuel is the Key, 11 p.m.; Sacrifice Isaac, Nerve, 1 a.m. \$5 cover or wristband after 8:30 p.m., September 16.

DJ Roger, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 17.

Midlife, all ages, 10 - 11:30 p.m., \$5 cover to midnight after 9:30 - 11:30 p.m., over 21 free, September 17.

Almost Joshua, 12:30 - 2 a.m., September 17.

Rick Ryant, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 18.

Antifogmatic, 10 - 11 p.m., September 18.

Rick Ryant, acoustic dinner show, 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., September 19.

Euan McLaughlin, host City Jam 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m., September 19.

Kiel Center  
 Vince Gill, with guest Patty Loveless, 8 p.m., September 22. Tickets are \$19.50, \$22.50 and \$24.50 and available at the Kiel Center box office or Tickets Now locations.

K.T.'s Smokehouse  
 4574 Telegraph 892-7788  
 Southside Wally & Greg Lawrence, September 27.

A Little Bit of Texas  
 3590 Rider Trail South, Earth City, Mo. 298-7163

Ricochet, September 6 - 9.

Colt Prather, September 13 - 16.

Forerunner, 8 p.m., September 26.

The Loading Dock  
 Grafford, Ill. (618) 786-3494  
 Fanfare-Kittie Muller, 8 p.m. - midnight, September 13.

Lucious Boomer's  
 767 Claymont 421-8155

Black Dog Blues, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., September 8 & 9.

Maggie O'Brien's Ltd.  
 2000 Market 421-1388

South Side Johnny Band, 10 p.m. - 2 a.m., September 3.

Mattiny's Inn  
 8108 North Lindbergh 831-9181

Recliners, September 9.

Buffalo Bob, September 16.

Meyer's Lounge & Cafeteria  
 26 Cross Keys Shopping Center 837-1272

Scott Alberici, 3 - 6 p.m., September 9.

Eric Sager, 3 - 6 p.m., September 16.

Mississippi Nights  
 914 N 1st 421-3853

St. Louis Blues Society presents Jimmy Rogers, Jimmy Thackery and the Drivers, and Rod Piazza and the Mighty Flyers, September 3.

Doors open at 8 p.m. with concert starting at 9 p.m. Tickets are \$8.

Paint the Earth, September 8 & 9. Doors open at 8 p.m. with show starting at 9 p.m. \$5 cover.

Warrent, September 13. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. with show starting at 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$14 in advance and \$15 day-of-show.

Mississippi River Festival, with Sons of Regent, Grither, Molly McGuire, Fragile Porcelain, Alice, Big Cat from Memphis, Martin Zeller, September 14. Doors open at 7 p.m. each night and the bands start at 8 p.m. The shows are all ages until 11:30 p.m.

Mississippi River Festival, with Judge Nothing, Sinister Dane, Shag, Frog Pound, Iodine, September 15.

Mississippi River Festival, with Suede Chains, Outshine, The Linger, Hoeman, Methoon, September 16.

Del Amiri, with the Caulfields, September 20. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. with show starting at 8:30 p.m. Tickets are \$8 in advance and \$10 day-of-show. This is a club card show.

Marion Meadows, September 22. Doors open at 8 p.m. with show at 9 p.m. Tickets are \$20 flat.

## Moriarty's

4123 Chippewa 481-4111  
 Tom Tucker & Friends, jam session, 6:30 - 10:30 p.m., September 9.

Rud Graham & Friends, jam session, 6 - 10 p.m., September 23.

## Ninth &amp; Russell Restaurant

2028 S. 9th 773-5565  
 Dutch Schultz & the Untouchables, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m., August 26.

## Oasis Coffee House

8130 Big Bend Blvd. 968-8038  
 Lydia's Trumpet, four-piece band, 9:30 - 11:30 p.m., September 8.

Bob Heier, singer and musician, 9:30 - 11:30 p.m., Sept. 9.

Sara Hensley, singer & musician, 9:30 - 11:30 p.m., Sept. 16 & 23.

## Off Broadway Nightclub

3509 Lemp (near Broadway) 773-3363  
 Carrie Newcomer (folk) September 8.

## On Broadway Bistro and Car Wash Company

5300 N. Broadway 421-0087  
 Peggy & Athena, 6:30 p.m., September 6 & 13.

## Biscuithead, September 8 &amp; 9.

Alton, September 15.  
 Painted Faces, September 16.  
 Anonymous Noise, September 22 & 23.

## Powell Symphony Hall

718 N. Grand Blvd. at Grand Center 533-2100 (box office 334-1700)  
 All symphony tickets are \$12-35; unless indicated, and are available at the Powell Hall box office and all MetroTix outlets.

Opening concert of "Slackin's Signature Season" with violinist Isaac Stern, 8:30 p.m., September 15, 16 and at 3 p.m., September 17. Stern will be featured in Beethoven's Romance No. 2 in F major and Bruch's Violin Concerto No. 1. The program includes Mendelssohn's Concerto for orchestra, "Trolley Dicks" and Rachmaninoff's Symphony No. 2.

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